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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the subject application is a Response to Restriction Requirement (4 page); a Petition for Extension of Time; and Check No. 5993 in the amount of \$55.00 for payment of the small entity one-month extension of time filing fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required for the above-identified application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

Respectfully submitted,

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